

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

TURAN D. WEST,

Defendant.

Case: 1:25-cr-20071

Judge: Ludington, Thomas L.

MJ: Morris, Patricia T.

Filed: 02-12-2025

Violations:

18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g) and 924(e)(1)

INDICTMENT

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE

Felon in Possession of a Firearm

18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1) and 924(e)(1)

On or about August 12, 2024, in the Eastern District of Michigan, Turan D. West, knowing that he had been previously convicted of an offense punishable by a term of imprisonment exceeding one year, knowingly possessed, in and affecting commerce, a firearm, that is, a Taurus, Model PT638, .380 caliber, semi-automatic pistol, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

It is further alleged that the defendant, Turan D. West, having at least three previous convictions for a violent felony or a serious drug offense, committed on occasions different from one another, is subject to penalties provided under Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(e)(1).

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

The allegations contained in Count One of this Indictment are hereby re-alleged and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1).

Upon conviction of an offense charged in Count One of this Indictment, Turan D. West shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1), any firearm or ammunition involved in said offense including but not limited to a Taurus, Model PT638, .380 caliber, semi-automatic pistol, bearing serial number KEN52588 and six (6) rounds of .380 ammunition.

Dated: February 12, 2025

THIS IS A TRUE BILL

s/Grand Jury Foreperson _____
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Companion Case InformationThis may be a companion case based upon LCrR 57.10 (b)(4)¹: Yes No

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Case Title: USA v. Turan D. West**County where offense occurred:** Saginaw**Check One:** **Felony** **Misdemeanor** **Petty** Indictment/ Information --- **no prior complaint.** Indictment/ Information --- based upon prior complaint [] Indictment/ Information --- based upon LCrR 57.10 (d) [Complete Superseding section below].**Superseding Case Information****Superseding to Case No:** _____ **Judge:** _____

- Corrects errors; no additional charges or defendants.
- Involves, for plea purposes, different charges or adds counts.
- Embraces same subject matter but adds the additional defendants or charges below:

| <u>Defendant name</u> | <u>Charges</u> | <u>Prior Complaint (if applicable)</u> |
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Please take notice that the below listed Assistant United States Attorney is the attorney of record for the above captioned case.

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¹ Companion cases are matters in which it appears that (1) substantially similar evidence will be offered at trial, (2) the same or related parties are present, and the cases arise out of the same transaction or occurrence. Cases may be companion cases even though one of them may have already been terminated.